## House File 766

H-1196

- 1 Amend House File 766 as follows:
- 2 l. Page 6, by striking lines 4 through 7 and inserting:
- 3 <a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, not more</p>
- 4 than \$734,000 shall be used for the healthy opportunities for
- 5 parents to experience success (HOPES)-healthy families Iowa
- 6 (HFI) program established pursuant to section 135.106. The
- 7 funding shall be distributed to renew the grants that were
- 8 provided to the grantees that operated the program during the
- 9 fiscal year ending June 30, 2018. However, the department
- 10 shall issue a request for proposals and distribute grants to
- 11 the grantees selected to operate the program no later than
- 12 January 1, 2020. The department shall not retain any portion
- 13 of the allocation under this paragraph for administrative
- 14 costs.>
- 15 2. Page 7, by striking lines 3 through 7 and inserting:
- 16 <d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$64,000
- 17 shall be distributed to a statewide dental carrier to provide
- 18 funds to continue the donated dental services program patterned
- 19 after the projects developed by the lifeline network to provide
- 20 dental services to indigent individuals who are elderly or with
- 21 disabilities.>
- 22 3. Page 8, by striking lines 2 through 9 and inserting:
- 23 <b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,</p>
- 24 \$1,055,000 shall be used for the brain injury services program
- 25 pursuant to section 135.22B, including for contracting with an
- 26 existing nationally affiliated and statewide organization whose
- 27 purpose is to educate, serve, and support Iowans with brain
- 28 injury and their families, for resource facilitator services
- 29 in accordance with section 135.22B, subsection 9, and for
- 30 contracting to enhance brain injury training and recruitment
- 31 of service providers on a statewide basis. Of the amount
- 32 allocated in this paragraph, \$95,000 shall be used to fund
- 33 one full-time equivalent position to serve as the state brain
- 34 injury services program manager.>
- 35 4. Page 8, by striking lines 10 through 16 and inserting:

- 1 <c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$144,000</p>
- 2 shall be used for the public purpose of continuing to contract
- 3 with an existing national-affiliated organization to provide
- 4 education, client-centered programs, and client and family
- 5 support for people living with epilepsy and their families.
- 6 The amount allocated in this paragraph shall be matched
- 7 dollar-for-dollar by the organization specified.>
- 8 5. By striking page 9, line 35, through page 10, line 9, and
- 9 inserting:
- 10 <b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
- 11 \$48,000 shall be used for a grant to a statewide association
- 12 of psychologists, that is affiliated with the American
- 13 psychological association, to be used for continuation of a
- 14 program to rotate intern psychologists in placements in urban
- 15 and rural mental health professional shortage areas. For the
- 16 purposes of this paragraph "b", "mental health professional
- 17 shortage area" means a geographic area in this state that has
- 18 been designated by the United States department of health and
- 19 human services, health resources and services administration,
- 20 bureau of health professionals, as having a shortage of mental
- 21 health professionals.>
- 22 6. Page 10, by striking lines 14 through 29 and inserting:
- 23 <(1) Not less than \$542,000 is allocated to the Iowa</p>
- 24 prescription drug corporation for continuation of the
- 25 pharmaceutical infrastructure for safety net providers as
- 26 described in 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 108, and for
- 27 the prescription drug donation repository program created in
- 28 chapter 135M.
- 29 (2) (a) Not less than \$334,000 is allocated to free
- 30 clinics and free clinics of Iowa for necessary infrastructure,
- 31 statewide coordination, provider recruitment, service delivery,
- 32 and provision of assistance to patients in securing a medical
- 33 home inclusive of oral health care. However, the department
- 34 shall issue a request for proposals and execute a contract
- 35 with the contractor selected, to perform the activities under

- 1 this subparagraph division no later than January 1, 2020. The
- 2 department shall not retain any portion of the allocation under
- 3 this subparagraph division for administrative costs.
- 4 (b) Not less than \$25,000 is allocated to the Iowa
- 5 association of rural health clinics for necessary
- 6 infrastructure and service delivery transformation. However,
- 7 the department shall issue a request for proposals and
- 8 execute a contract with the contractor selected to perform
- 9 the activities under this subparagraph division no later
- 10 than January 1, 2020. The department shall not retain any
- 11 portion of the allocation under this subparagraph division for
- 12 administrative costs.
- 13 (c) Not less than \$205,000 is allocated to the Polk county
- 14 medical society for continuation of the safety net provider
- 15 patient access to specialty health care initiative as described
- 16 in 2007 Iowa Acts, chapter 218, section 109. However, the
- 17 department shall issue a request for proposals and execute a
- 18 contract with the contractor selected to operate the initiative
- 19 under this subparagraph division no later than January 1, 2020.
- 20 The department shall not retain any portion of the allocation
- 21 under this subparagraph division for administrative costs.
- 22 (3) The department may combine the allocations and
- 23 activities specified in subparagraph (2) for the purposes of
- 24 issuing a request for proposals.>
- 7. Page 10, by striking lines 33 through 35 and inserting:
- 26 <e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$96,000</p>
- 27 shall be used for a matching dental education loan repayment
- 28 program to be allocated to a dental nonprofit health service
- 29 corporation to continue to develop the criteria and implement
- 30 the loan repayment program.>
- 31 8. Page 11, by striking lines 4 through 19 and inserting:
- 32 <g. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$96,000</p>
- 33 shall be used for continuation of a grant to a nationally
- 34 affiliated volunteer eye organization that has an established
- 35 program for children and adults and that is solely dedicated to

- 1 preserving sight and preventing blindness through education,
- 2 nationally certified vision screening and training, and
- 3 community and patient service programs. The contractor
- 4 shall submit a report to the individuals identified in this
- 5 Act for submission of reports regarding the use of funds
- 6 allocated under this paragraph "g". The report shall include
- 7 the objectives and results for the program year including
- 8 the target population and how the funds allocated assisted
- 9 the program in meeting the objectives; the number, age, and
- 10 location within the state of individuals served; the type of
- ll services provided to the individuals served; the distribution
- 12 of funds based on services provided; and the continuing needs
- 13 of the program.>
- 9. By striking page 12, line 30, through page 13, line 2,
- 15 and inserting:
- 16 <b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, up</p>
- 17 to \$243,000 shall be used for sexual violence prevention
- 18 programming through a statewide organization representing
- 19 programs serving victims of sexual violence through the
- 20 department's sexual violence prevention program, and for
- 21 continuation of a training program for sexual assault
- 22 response team (SART) members, including representatives of
- 23 law enforcement, victim advocates, prosecutors, and certified
- 24 medical personnel. However, the department shall issue
- 25 a request for proposals and execute a contract with the
- 26 contractor selected to provide the programming and training
- 27 as specified in this paragraph no later than January 1, 2020.
- 28 The amount allocated in this paragraph "b" shall not be used
- 29 to supplant funding administered for other sexual violence
- 30 prevention or victims assistance programs. The department
- 31 shall not retain any portion of the allocation under this
- 32 paragraph for administrative costs.>
- 33 10. Page 13, line 22, by striking <The> and inserting <a.</p>
- 34 The>
- 35 11. Page 13, after line 26 by inserting:

- 1 <b. The department of public health shall collaborate
- 2 with applicable stakeholders to review the allocations,
- 3 grants, and other distributions of funds appropriated under
- 4 this division of this Act and shall submit a report to the
- 5 individuals identified in this Act for submission of reports by
- 6 December 15, 2019, regarding a proposal for the distribution
- 7 of funds that more clearly reflects the department's stated
- 8 priorities and goals, provides increased flexibility in the
- 9 distribution of funds to meet these priorities and goals, and
- 10 ensures stakeholder accountability and a discernable return on
- 11 investment.>
- 12 12. By striking page 13, line 27, through page 14, line 20,
- 13 and inserting:
- 14 <Sec. . CONTRACTED SERVICES PROHIBITED USE OF GENERAL
- 15 FUND MONEYS FOR LOBBYING.
- 16 l. The department shall submit a report to the individuals
- 17 identified in this Act for submission of reports by January 1,
- 18 2020, regarding the outcomes of any program or activity for
- 19 which funding is appropriated or allocated from the general
- 20 fund of the state to the department under this division of
- 21 this Act, and for which a request for proposals process is
- 22 specifically required.
- 23 2. The department shall incorporate into the general
- 24 conditions applicable to all award documents involving funding
- 25 appropriated or allocated from the general fund of the state to
- 26 the department under this division of this Act, a prohibition
- 27 against the use of such funding for the compensation of a
- 28 lobbyist. For the purposes of this section, "lobbyist" means
- 29 the same as defined in section 68B.2; however, "lobbyist"
- 30 does not include a person employed by a state agency of the
- 31 executive branch of state government who represents the agency
- 32 relative to the passage, defeat, approval, or modification of
- 33 legislation that is being considered by the general assembly.>
- 34 13. Page 23, line 10, by striking <39,849,365> and inserting
- 35 <40,365,037>

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1 14. Page 24, by striking lines 9 through 13 and inserting:
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- 2 < . Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$195,000</p>
- 3 shall be used for continuation of a grant to an Iowa-based
- 4 nonprofit organization with a history of providing tax
- 5 preparation assistance to low-income Iowans in order to expand
- 6 the usage of the earned income tax credit. The purpose of the
- 7 grant is to supply this assistance to underserved areas of
- 8 the state. However, the department shall issue a request for
- 9 proposals and execute a contract with the contractor selected
- 10 to administer the program no later than January 1, 2020. The
- 11 department shall not retain any portion of the allocation under
- 12 this subsection for administrative costs.>
- 13 15. Page 24, by striking lines 14 through 22 and inserting:
- 14 < . Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$70,000</p>
- 15 shall be used for the continuation of the parenting program, as
- 16 specified in 441 IAC ch. 100, relating to parental obligations,
- 17 in which the child support recovery unit participates, to
- 18 support the efforts of a nonprofit organization committed
- 19 to strengthening the community through youth development,
- 20 healthy living, and social responsibility headquartered in
- 21 a county with a population over 350,000 according to the
- 22 latest certified federal census. The funds allocated in this
- 23 subsection shall be used by the recipient organization to
- 24 develop a larger community effort, through public and private
- 25 partnerships, to support a broad-based multi-county fatherhood
- 26 parenthood initiative that promotes payment of child support
- 27 obligations, improved family relationships, and full-time
- 28 employment. However, the department shall issue a request for
- 29 proposals and execute a contract with the contractor selected
- 30 to administer the program no later than January 1, 2020. The
- 31 department shall not retain any portion of the allocation under
- 32 this subsection for administrative costs.>
- 33 16. Page 25, line 4, by striking <15,265,040> and inserting
- 34 <14,749,368>
- 35 17. Page 30, after line 6 by inserting:

- 1 < . a. The department may increase the amounts allocated</p>
- 2 for salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes
- 3 associated with the medical assistance program, as necessary,
- 4 to sustain cost management efforts. The department shall
- 5 report any such increase to the legislative services agency and
- 6 the department of management.
- 7 b. If the savings to the medical assistance program from
- 8 ongoing cost management efforts exceed the associated cost
- 9 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, the department
- 10 may transfer any savings generated for the fiscal year due
- 11 to medical assistance program cost management efforts to the
- 12 appropriation made in this division of this Act for medical
- 13 contracts or general administration to defray the costs
- 14 associated with implementing the efforts.>
- 15 18. Page 32, line 2, by striking <\$1,500,000> and inserting
- 16 <a sufficient amount>
- 17 19. Page 32, by striking line 4 and inserting <settlement
- 18 process under both fee-for-service and managed care
- 19 administration of the Medicaid program for critical>
- 20 20. Page 37, line 32, after <nurse> by inserting <, or</p>
- 21 comparable additional,>
- 22 21. Page 42, line 10, after <served.> by inserting <To
- 23 increase access to child protection center services for
- 24 children in rural areas, the funding formula for the awarding
- 25 of the remaining funds shall provide for the awarding of an
- 26 enhanced amount to eligible grantees to develop and maintain
- 27 satellite centers in underserved regions of the state.>
- 28 22. Page 47, line 8, after <support staff> by inserting <,</p>
- 29 or comparable additional,>
- 30 23. Page 47, line 17, after <staff> by inserting <, or
- 31 comparable additional,>
- 32 24. Page 49, line 32, after <staff> by inserting <, or</p>
- 33 comparable additional,>
- 34 25. Page 54, line 32, by striking <critical> and inserting
- 35 <under both fee-for-service and managed care administration of

- 1 the Medicaid program, critical>
- 2 26. Page 58, line 15, after <the> by inserting <additional>
- 3 27. Page 60, line 28, by striking <the> and inserting <any>
- 4 28. By striking page 60, line 32, through page 61, line 25,
- 5 and inserting:
- 6 <Sec. . CONTRACTED SERVICES PROHIBITED USE OF STATE
- 7 FUNDING FOR LOBBYING.
- 8 l. The department shall submit a report to the individuals
- 9 identified in this Act for submission of reports by December
- 10 15, 2019, regarding the outcomes of any program or activity for
- 11 which funding is appropriated or allocated from the general
- 12 fund of the state to the department under this division of this
- 13 Act, and for which a request for proposals process is required.
- 14 2. The department shall incorporate into the general
- 15 conditions applicable to all award documents involving funding
- 16 appropriated or allocated from the general fund of the state to
- 17 the department under this division of this Act, a prohibition
- 18 against the use of such funding for the compensation of a
- 19 lobbyist. For the purposes of this section, "lobbyist" means
- 20 the same as defined in section 68B.2; however, "lobbyist"
- 21 does not include a person employed by a state agency of the
- 22 executive branch of state government who represents the agency
- 23 relative to the passage, defeat, approval, or modification of
- 24 legislation that is being considered by the general assembly.>
- 25 29. Page 61, after line 25 by inserting:
- 26 <Sec. . LEGISLATIVE INTERIM COMMITTEE HEALTH
- 27 DATA COLLECTION. The legislative council shall establish
- 28 a legislative interim committee to review the collection,
- 29 maintaining, and disseminating of hospital inpatient,
- 30 outpatient, and ambulatory data pursuant to section 135.166.
- 31 The committee shall report findings and recommendations to the
- 32 general assembly by December 15, 2019.>
- 33 30. Page 66, line 27, by striking <by July 1, 2020>
- 31. Page 66, line 32, by striking <by July 1, 2020>
- 35 32. Page 66, after line 32 by inserting:

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          Develop an action plan to transfer administration of the
 2 juvenile detention home fund created in section 232.142 from
 3 the department to the office of the state court administrator
 4 or other appropriate state entity.>
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      33.
          Page 66, line 33, by striking <c.> and inserting <d.>
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      34.
          Page 67, line 6, by striking <d.> and inserting <e.>
      35. Page 67, line 12, by striking <e.> and inserting <f.>
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          Page 67, line 18, by striking <f.> and inserting <q.>
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      37.
          Page 67, line 26, by striking <g.> and inserting <h.>
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          Page 68, by striking lines 1 through 16 and inserting:
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12 CO-OCCURRING CONDITIONS - ENHANCED DELIVERY OF SERVICES REVIEW
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                REVIEW TO PROVIDE ENHANCED DELIVERY OF SERVICES
14 FOR CO-OCCURRING CONDITIONS. The director of the department
15 of public health and the director of the department of human
16 services shall develop recommendations for the enhanced
17 delivery of co-occurring conditions services.
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18 shall examine the current service delivery system to identify
19 opportunities for reducing the administrative burden on the
20 departments and providers, evaluate the use of an integrated
21 helpline and website and improvements in data collection
22 and sharing of outcomes, and create a structure for ongoing
23 collaboration. The directors shall submit a report including
24 findings, a five-year plan to address co-occurring conditions
25 across provider types and payors, and other recommendations to
26 the governor and general assembly by December 15, 2019.>
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      39. Page 79, after line 35 by inserting:
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                            <DIVISION
      MEDICAID PRIOR AUTHORIZATION — UNIFORM PROCESS — CENTRAL
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                MEDICAID - PRIOR AUTHORIZATION UNIFORM
             The department of human services shall adopt rules
32 PROCESS.
33 pursuant to chapter 17A to require, and shall contractually
34 require, that both managed care and fee-for-service payment
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35 and delivery systems utilize a uniform process, including but

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2 time frames, to request prior authorization under the Medicaid
 3 program no later than October 1, 2019.
      Sec. . MEDICAID MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM - CENTRAL
 5 PORTAL — REVIEW.
                     The department shall review the costs
 6 associated with expanding the medical assistance management
 7 information system to integrate a single, statewide system
 8 to serve as a central portal for submission of all prior
 9 authorization requests for the Medicaid program.
10 shall not be designed to make or review final determinations
11 of managed care organization prior authorization requests, but
12 shall only serve as a conduit to deliver prior authorization
13 requests to the appropriate managed care organization.
14 results of the study shall be submitted to the governor and the
15 general assembly no later than March 31, 2020.
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      Sec. . EFFECTIVE DATE. This division of this Act, being
17 deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.
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                             DIVISION
19
    HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES EXECUTIVE BRANCH ENTITIES - REFORM
20
            IOWA COLLABORATIVE SAFETY NET PROVIDER NETWORK
      Sec. . Section 135.24, subsection 7, paragraph e, Code
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22 2019, is amended to read as follows:
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     e. "Specialty health care provider office" means the
24 private office or clinic of an individual specialty health
25 care provider or group of specialty health care providers as
26 referred by the Iowa collaborative safety net provider network
27 established in section 135.153, but does not include a field
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1 not limited to uniform forms, information requirements, and

30 2019, is amended by striking the paragraph.
31 Sec. . REPEAL. Section 135.153, Code 2019, is repealed.

Sec. . Section 135.159, subsection 1, paragraph h, Code

32 HOSPITAL HEALTH CARE ACCESS TRUST FUND BOARD

28 dental clinic, a free clinic, or a hospital.

- 33 Sec. \_\_\_. Section 249M.4, Code 2019, is amended to read as
- 34 follows:

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35 249M.4 Hospital health care access trust fund — board.

- 1 l. A hospital health care access trust fund is created
- 2 in the state treasury under the authority of the department.
- 3 Moneys received through the collection of the hospital health
- 4 care access assessment imposed under this chapter and any
- 5 other moneys specified for deposit in the trust fund shall be
- 6 deposited in the trust fund.
- 7 2. Moneys in the trust fund shall be used, subject to
- 8 their appropriation by the general assembly, by the department
- 9 to reimburse participating hospitals the medical assistance
- 10 program upper payment limit for inpatient and outpatient
- 11 hospital services as calculated in this section. Following
- 12 payment of such upper payment limit to participating hospitals,
- 13 any remaining funds in the trust fund on an annual basis may be
- 14 used for any of the following purposes:
- 15 a. To support medical assistance program utilization
- 16 shortfalls.
- 17 b. To maintain the state's capacity to provide access to and
- 18 delivery of services for vulnerable Iowans.
- 19 c. To fund the health care workforce support initiative
- 20 created pursuant to section 135.175.
- 21 d. To support access to health care services for uninsured
- 22 Iowans.
- 23 e. To support Iowa hospital programs and services which
- 24 expand access to health care services for Iowans.
- 25 3. The trust fund shall be separate from the general fund
- 26 of the state and shall not be considered part of the general
- 27 fund. The moneys in the trust fund shall not be considered
- 28 revenue of the state, but rather shall be funds of the hospital
- 29 health care access assessment program. The moneys deposited
- 30 in the trust fund are not subject to section 8.33 and shall not
- 31 be transferred, used, obligated, appropriated, or otherwise
- 32 encumbered, except to provide for the purposes of this chapter.
- 33 Notwithstanding section 12C.7, subsection 2, interest or
- 34 earnings on moneys deposited in the trust fund shall be
- 35 credited to the trust fund.

- 1 4. The department shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter
- 2 17A to administer the trust fund and reimbursements and
- 3 expenditures as specified in this chapter made from the trust 4 fund.
- 5 5. a. Beginning July 1, 2010, or the implementation date
- 6 of the hospital health care access assessment program as
- 7 determined by receipt of approval from the centers for Medicare
- 8 and Medicaid services of the United States department of health
- 9 and human services, whichever is later, the department shall
- 10 increase the diagnostic related groups and ambulatory patient
- 11 classifications base rates to provide payments to participating
- 12 hospitals at the Medicare upper payment limit for the fiscal
- 13 year beginning July 1, 2010, calculated as of July 31, 2010.
- 14 Each participating hospital shall receive the same percentage
- 15 increase, but the percentage may differ depending on whether
- 16 the basis for the base rate increase is the diagnostic related
- 17 groups or ambulatory patient classifications.
- 18 b. The percentage increase shall be calculated by dividing
- 19 the amount calculated under subparagraph (1) by the amount
- 20 calculated under subparagraph (2) as follows:
- 21 (1) The amount under the Medicare upper payment limit for
- 22 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, for participating
- 23 hospitals.
- 24 (2) The projected expenditures for participating hospitals
- 25 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, as determined by
- 26 the fiscal management division of the department, plus the
- 27 amount calculated under subparagraph (1).
- 28 6. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and for
- 29 each fiscal year beginning July 1, thereafter, the payments to
- 30 participating hospitals shall continue to be calculated based
- 31 on the upper payment limit as calculated for the fiscal year
- 32 beginning July 1, 2010.
- 7. Reimbursement of participating hospitals shall
- 34 incorporate the rebasing process for inpatient and outpatient
- 35 services for state fiscal year 2012. However, the total amount

- 1 of increased funding available for reimbursement attributable
- 2 to rebasing shall not exceed four million five hundred thousand
- 3 dollars for state fiscal year 2012 and six million dollars for
- 4 state fiscal year 2013.
- 8. Any payments to participating hospitals under this
- 6 section shall result in budget neutrality to the general fund
- 7 of the state.
- 9. a. A hospital health care access trust fund board is
- 9 established consisting of the following members:
- (1) The co-chairpersons and the ranking members of the joint 10
- 11 appropriations subcommittee on health and human services.
- 12 (2) The Iowa medical assistance program director.
- 13 (3) Two hospital executives representing the two largest
- 14 private health care systems in the state.
- 15 (4) The president of the Iowa hospital association.
- 16 (5) A representative of a consumer advocacy group, involved
- 17 in both state and national initiatives, that provides data on
- 18 key indicators of well-being for children and families in order
- 19 to inform policymakers to help children and families succeed.
- 20 b. The board shall do all of the following:
- 21 (1) Provide oversight of the trust fund.
- 22 (2) Make recommendations regarding the hospital health care
- 23 access assessment program, including recommendations regarding
- 24 the assessment calculation, assessment amounts, payments to
- 25 participating hospitals, and use of the moneys in the trust
- 26 fund.
- 27 (3) Submit an annual report to the governor and the general
- 28 assembly regarding the use and expenditure of moneys deposited
- 29 in the trust fund.
- 30 c. The department shall provide administrative assistance
- 31 to the board.
- 32 ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE CENTER FOR RURAL HEALTH AND PRIMARY
- 33 CARE
- 34 Sec. . Section 135.107, subsection 5, Code 2019, is
- 35 amended by striking the subsection.

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    Sec. . Section 262.78, subsection 3, Code 2019, is
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- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3. The president of the university of Iowa, in consultation
- 4 with the president of Iowa state university of science and
- 5 technology, shall employ a full-time director of the center.
- 6 The center may employ staff to carry out the center's purpose.
- 7 The director shall coordinate the agricultural health and
- 8 safety programs of the center. The director shall regularly
- 9 meet and consult with the advisory committee to the center for
- 10 rural health and primary care. The director shall provide
- 11 the board of regents with relevant information regarding the
- 12 center.
- 13 GOVERNMENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL
- Sec. . Section 135A.2, subsection 2, Code 2019, is 14
- 15 amended by striking the subsection.
- 16 Sec. . Section 135A.9, subsection 1, Code 2019, is
- 17 amended by striking the subsection.
- Sec. . REPEAL. Section 135A.4, Code 2019, is repealed. 18
- PATIENT-CENTERED HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL 19
- 20 Sec. . REPEAL. Section 135.159, Code 2019, is repealed.
- COMBINING STATE MEDICAL EXAMINER ADVISORY COUNCIL WITH THE 21
- 22 INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCIL
- 23 Sec. . Section 691.6B, Code 2019, is amended to read as
- 24 follows:
- 25 691.6B Interagency coordinating council.
- 26 1. An interagency coordinating council is created to advise
- 27 do all of the following:
- a. Advise and consult with the state medical examiner on a 28
- 29 range of issues affecting the organization and functions of the
- 30 office of the state medical examiner and the effectiveness of
- 31 the medical examiner system in the state.
- b. Advise the state medical examiner concerning the
- 33 assurance of effective coordination of the functions and
- 34 operations of the office of the state medical examiner with the
- 35 needs and interests of the departments of public safety and

- 1 public health.
- 2. Members of the interagency coordinating council shall
- 3 include the all of the following:
- 4 a. The state medical examiner, or when the state medical
- 5 examiner is not available, the deputy state medical examiner;
- 6 the.
- 7 b. The commissioner of public safety or the commissioner's
- 8 designee; the.
- 9 c. The director of public health or the director's designee;
- 10 and the.
- 11 d. The governor or the governor's designee.
- 12 e. Representatives from the office of the attorney
- 13 general, the Iowa county attorneys association, the Iowa
- 14 medical society, the Iowa association of pathologists, the
- 15 Iowa association of county medical examiners, the statewide
- 16 emergency medical system, and the Iowa funeral directors
- 17 association.
- 18 3. The interagency coordinating council shall meet on
- 19 a regular basis, and shall be organized and function as
- 20 established by the state medical examiner by rule.
- 21 Sec. . REPEAL. Section 691.6C, Code 2019, is repealed.
- 22 TOBACCO USE PREVENTION AND CONTROL COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP -
- 23 MEETINGS EXPENSES
- Sec. . Section 142A.3, subsection 6, Code 2019, is
- 25 amended to read as follows:
- 26 6. Citizen members shall be reimbursed for actual and
- 27 necessary expenses incurred in performance of their duties.
- 28 Citizen members shall be paid a per diem as specified in
- 29 section 7E.6. Legislative members are eligible for per diem
- 30 and expenses as provided in section 2.10.
- 31 Sec. . Section 142A.3, subsection 9, Code 2019, is
- 32 amended to read as follows:
- 33 9. The commission shall elect a chairperson from among its
- 34 voting members and may select other officers from among its
- 35 voting members, as determined necessary by the commission.

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1 The commission shall meet \frac{1}{1} no more than quarterly as
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- 2 determined by the commission, upon the call of the chairperson,
- 3 or upon the call of a majority of the voting members.
- 4 Sec. . TOBACCO USE PREVENTION AND CONTROL COMMISSION —
- 5 MEMBERSHIP REDUCTION. The tobacco use prevention and control
- 6 commission shall evaluate the membership of the commission
- 7 and shall submit to the department of public health the
- 8 commission's recommendation, to be submitted by the director
- 9 of public health as proposed legislation in compliance with
- 10 section 2.16 for consideration by the general assembly during
- 11 the 2020 legislative session, to reduce the number of voting
- 12 members from nine to seven members.
- 13 TRAUMA SYSTEM ADVISORY COUNCIL
- 14 Sec. . Section 147A.24, subsection 2, Code 2019, is
- 15 amended to read as follows:
- 16 2. The council shall consist of seven members to be
- 17 appointed by the director from the recommendations of
- 18 the organizations in subsection 1 for terms of two years.
- 19 Vacancies on the council shall be filled for the remainder of
- 20 the term of the original appointment. Members whose terms
- 21 expire may be reappointed.
- 22 Sec. . TRANSITION PROVISIONS. Notwithstanding any
- 23 provision of section 147A.24, subsection 2, to the contrary, a
- 24 member of the trauma system advisory council on July 1, 2019,
- 25 shall continue serving until the expiration of that member's
- 26 term or until a vacancy occurs prior to the expiration of the
- 27 applicable term, and such vacancy shall only be filled to the
- 28 extent consistent with and necessary to maintain the total
- 29 number of members of the council specified in section 147A.24,
- 30 subsection 2, as amended in this Act.
- 31 TELECONFERENCE OPTION FOR STATE ENTITIES
- 32 Sec. . NEW SECTION. 135.11B Statutory board, commission,
- 33 committee, or council of committee teleconference option.
- 34 Any statutorily established board, commission, committee, or
- 35 council established under the purview of the department shall

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1 provide for a teleconference option for board, commission,
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- 2 committee, or council members to participate in official
- 3 meetings.
- 4 ELIMINATION OF PAYMENT OF EXPENSES FOR PUBLIC MEMBERS OF
- 5 CERTAIN STATE ENTITIES
- 6 Sec. . Section 105.3, subsection 6, Code 2019, is amended
- 7 by striking the subsection.
- 8 Sec. . Section 135.43, subsection 2, unnumbered
- 9 paragraph 1, Code 2019, is amended to read as follows:
- 10 The membership of the review team is subject to the
- 11 provisions of sections 69.16 and 69.16A, relating to political
- 12 affiliation and gender balance. Review team members who
- 13 are not designated by another appointing authority shall be
- 14 appointed by the state medical examiner. Membership terms
- 15 shall be for three years. A membership vacancy shall be filled
- 16 in the same manner as the original appointment. The review
- 17 team shall elect a chairperson and other officers as deemed
- 18 necessary by the review team. The review team shall meet upon
- 19 the call of the state medical examiner or as determined by
- 20 the review team. The members of the team are eligible for
- 21 reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses incurred in the
- 22 performance of their official duties. The review team shall
- 23 include the following:
- Sec. . Section 135.62, subsection 2, paragraph e, Code
- 25 2019, is amended by striking the paragraph.
- 26 Sec. . Section 147A.3, Code 2019, is amended to read as
- 27 follows:
- 28 147A.3 Meetings of the council quorum expenses.
- 29 Membership, terms of office, and quorum, and expenses shall
- 30 be determined by the director pursuant to chapter 135.
- 31 Sec. . Section 256I.3, subsection 3, Code 2019, is
- 32 amended by striking the subsection.
- 33 ELIMINATION OF CHILD WELFARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE, CHILD
- 34 SUPPORT ADVISORY COMMITTEE, CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WAIVER

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     IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE, AND PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FUND RISK
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      Sec. . Section 217.3A, subsection 1, Code 2019, is
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 4 amended to read as follows:
      1. General. The council on human services shall establish
 6 and utilize the advisory committees committee identified in
 7 this section and may establish and utilize other advisory
 8 committees. The council shall establish appointment
 9 provisions, membership terms, operating guidelines, and other
10 operational requirements for committees established pursuant to
ll this section.
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      Sec. . Section 217.3A, subsections 3 and 4, Code 2019,
13 are amended by striking the subsections.
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      Sec. . Section 426B.5, subsection 1, Code 2019, is
15 amended by striking the subsection.
      Sec. . 2005 Iowa Acts, chapter 117, section 4, subsection
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17 3, is amended by striking the subsection.
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                 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ADVISORY COUNCIL
      Sec. . MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ADVISORY COUNCIL - VOTING
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20 MEMBER SUSPENSION. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the
21 contrary, if a representative of a professional or business
22 entity, a public member, or a member of the hawk-i board who
23 is a voting member of the medical assistance advisory council
24 pursuant to section 249A.4B, subsection 2, is absent for
25 two consecutive meetings of the medical assistance advisory
26 council, the member shall be suspended from participation in
27 the deliberations of the advisory council for a period of
28 twelve months from the date of the member's second absence.
29 During the member's suspension period, the voting rights of the
30 professional or business entity, consumer group or consumer
31 organization, or the hawk-i board shall not be exercised, but
32 the vacancy in voting membership shall not prohibit the medical
33 assistance advisory council from achieving a quorum.
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MEDICAID MANAGED CARE TERMINATION — EXPEDITED CLAIMS DISPUTE

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2	Sec MEDICAID MANAGED CARE TERMINATION - EXPEDITED
3	CLAIMS DISPUTE PROCESS. No later than July 1, 2019, the
4	department of human services shall require an expedited claims
5	dispute process for all outstanding claims to be applicable
6	if a managed care organization terminates coverage under the
7	Medicaid program. Such an expedited claims dispute process
8	shall, beginning on the date a managed care organization
9	terminates coverage, allow a provider, a member, or a member's
10	authorized representative the option to dispute the managed
11	care organization's claim adjudication within the required time
12	frames and consistent with this section. The managed care
13	organization shall report all disputed claims being processed
14	and the outcomes of such disputed claims to the department on a
15	monthly basis for at least two years following termination of
16	the managed care organization's contract with the state.>
17	40. By renumbering, redesignating, and correcting internal
18	references as necessary.

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